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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: LIGHTED DOWNRIGGER COUNTER

**AMENDMENT-B**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 4, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows, and favorably consider the accompanying remarks.